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APPLICANT: MATSUNAGA EA 4

SERIAL NO: 10/662,898

EXAMINER: Alexander Gilman

FILED: September 15, 2003

GROUP: 2833

TITLE: THIN-PROFILE CONNECTOR HAVING A COVER WHICH CAN BE
READILY OPERATED AND RELIABLY LOCKED IN A CLOSED STATE

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Dear Sir:

In response to the First Office Action dated March 24, 2004
with the due date for response being June 24, 2004 and being
extended by one month or by July 24, 2004 please amend the above-
identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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